

LOCAL NEWS.

The Standard appears in its new dress. Decoration Day will be observed at Vancouver on Monday, May 31st.

The Board of Directors of the Mechanics' Fair consists of eleven members.

The high water has forced Hodge, Davis & Co. to vacate their basement.

The Democratic County Convention is being held to-day in the Court House.

It is announced that there will be some horse-racing at Hillsboro to-morrow.

The bark Margaret Head, has cleared for Liverpool with a cargo valued at \$55,000.

A dwelling on North Fifteenth and P streets was destroyed by fire on Tuesday morning.

Mr. E. E. Herif, of the Walla Walla Union, is in the city. His wife accompanied him.

The commencement exercises of Pacific University, Forest Grove, will be held next week.

A picnic will be given to-morrow at Canyon Gardens by the Colored Immigration Aid Society.

A San Jose Club has been organized in Portland by former residents of the pretty California city.

The Portland Library has just received the Franklin Square Library, complete in forty volumes.

The Multnomah Law Club, composed of the younger attorneys of this city, meets on Friday evenings.

The butchers of Portland will give their second annual picnic at Canyon Gardens on Sunday, June 6th.

Mr. William Pilger and Miss Tillie Strassman were married in this city on Tuesday evening, Rev. M. May officiating.

Owing to the superior finish and excellence of work, Axel stands pre-eminent as a photographer. Give him a call.

Henry Wintergerde has been indicted by the Grand Jury of Washington county for murder in the first degree.

Mr. B. Gaken has been awarded the contract for constructing the Morrison-street sewer, his bid, \$5,000.40, being the lowest.

The Wide West made the trip from Astoria to Portland in six hours and two minutes on last Sunday—the best on record.

It is said that Mr. Paul Meiler, well-known in Portland, is among those who were injured by the railroad accident at Santa Cruz.

A new steam yacht, Gold Star, has been launched. She will be used as a pleasure boat on the Willamette and Columbia Rivers.

Rev. A. C. McLaughlin, who at one time was prominently identified with the Good Templars of Oregon, died in California recently.

The Sylhet sailed for Liverpool on Tuesday morning, carrying at the mast-head a temperance banner, furnished by Bethel House Lodge.

Mr. G. W. Brown left on Monday morning for Medical Lake, Spokane county, W. T., where he will open a hotel about June 20th.

Hander's Oregon Blood Purifier is the best remedy for that dread disease, dyspepsia, and all its attendant evils.

A walkie made by the women engaged in the recent San Francisco tournament is the next infliction with which Portland is threatened.

Miss Hattie Crawford presented the Independent Order of Good Samaritans and daughters of Samaria with a handsome banner on Monday evening last.

For reasons which to him appear sufficient, Governor Thayer has recently granted pardons to half a dozen convicts, five of them from Multnomah county.

Miss Ella Carson, daughter of Mr. J. C. Carson, and Mr. Frank Northrup, her step-brother, who were badly hurt last week by being thrown from a buggy, are recovering.

The members of George Wright Post No. 1, G. A. R., will form in procession on Saturday at 1 o'clock P. M. and proceed to Lone Fir Cemetery, where the graves will be decorated.

Dr. Chapman having declined, Penumbra Kelly is placed in nomination by the Republican County Committee for one of the Representatives in the Legislature from this county.

In East Portland yesterday, a man named Manning was wounded in the shoulder by a shot from a revolver in the hands of one McCormack, who mounted a horse and left for the country.

The Thomases, accused of the Broomfield murders in Eastern Washington, passed through this city the first part of the week. They refused to converse about the case, further than to declare their innocence.

On next Sunday evening, at the Congregational Church, Rev. J. A. Crozan, a member of the Grand Army of the Republic, will deliver an address on "Decorating Day." George Wright Post will attend in a body.

Those who wish an excellent suit of clothing, guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction as to price, quality and fit, should call on W. H. Utter, with W. J. Quinn, who has re-opened at his old stand, 25 Stark street.

Mr. Wm. P. Olds, of the firm of Olds & King, and Miss Lillie Cook, of Yamhill county, were married on Wednesday evening, the 19th instant, at the residence of the bride's parents, near Lafayette. The ceremony was witnessed by a few friends.

The mammoth wholesale establishment of Fieschner, Mayer & Co. is still crowded from basement to attic with both goods and customers.

Their summer stock of millinery is complete, and is even cheaper than ever. Mr. Mayer, who spends half of every year in New York in the interest of customers, will start for the East about the last of June, to be in readiness to take advantage of the jobbing trade for the coming Autumn. He is indisposed at present, but we hope only temporarily.

"I am tired of being blistered, leeches, cupped and bled, and treated with croton oil by the most eminent practitioners, who try to cure that cold of mine by such proceedings." This tale is frequently told by the sufferer to his druggist, who, not knowing better, makes up a number of cough mixtures without giving any relief. All you sufferers, do you know why you cannot be cured by such means as stated above? Here is the cause: It is an established fact that almost all coughs have their origin in a deranged stomach, whence gases press upon the different parts of the chest, etc., and thus cause coughing, which upon too much straining even produces carache, and finally dyspnea. One bottle of Plummer's Oregon Blood Purifier will give immediate relief. It has been tried over and over again, and found to answer the purpose in every case. Ask your druggist for it.

NEWS ITEMS.

STATE AND TERRITORIAL.

The Silverton Appeal is a new newspaper, running on the Pacific coast.

Three criminal cases will be tried at Hillsboro this week.

The Universalist Convention will meet at Dallas on June 10th.

G. P. Four committed suicide at Walla Walla on last Sunday.

The A. A. McCully has resumed trips between Portland and Corvallis.

A tri-weekly stage line is established between Junction and Corvallis.

Large sawmills on Forest Sound are said to be running on two-thirds time.

Several white deer have recently been killed on Whidby's Island, W. T.

Three hundred feet of the breakwater at Marshfield has been completed.

The late E. Martin, of California, owned 600,000 acres of land in Oregon.

A substantial fence is to be built around the school property at Silverton.

Seattle's base-ball club won the international match at Victoria on the 25th.

The Corvallis Baptist Association will convene at that city on Thursday, June 3d.

Silverton is planning many improvements in anticipation of railroad facilities.

The White River (W. T.) cheese factory uses the milk of several hundred cows.

Milton Harper has been appointed Sheep Commissioner for Whitman county.

The Seventh Day Adventists are holding a camp meeting at Milton, Umatilla county.

The flame of the Blalock Lumber Co. was fished to Milton Station last Thursday.

Jas. McCormack has been sent to the penitentiary from Douglas county for four years.

The people of Cottage Grove propose to celebrate the coming 4th of July in good shape.

It is said the Indians on the Payallup Reservation are becoming more industrious each year.

Mrs. Elizabeth Ramsden, 51 years of age, committed suicide by hanging at Salem last week.

Lang's cattle drive takes about 1,500 head from Grant county, in the immediate vicinity of Canyon City.

Captain Wilkinson's Indian school at Forest Grove contains fourteen pupils from the Payallup Reservation.

Coe and Curry counties are the banner divorce counties, legal separations being easily and cheaply obtained.

Columbia claims to be the most populous county in Washington Territory, while Walla Walla leads in capital.

Solo has raised \$11,000 of the \$15,000 salary by the narrow gauge company for running the road by that town.

Several wheat fields in the Willamette Forks have been injured by cutworms. These depredations are not as yet extensive.

A protracted meeting will be held in Silverton, next month, beginning on the 10th, under the auspices of the M. E. church.

La Creole Academy, Dallas, has 147 pupils—a large attendance for this time of year, considering the locality is agricultural.

The Seattle coal mines are shut down on account of fire damage, and a drift is being made to the main tunnel to stop it, when coal will again be taken out.

The body of a man, supposed to be that of one of the Cox brothers of the ill-fated schooner Schults, was found on the beach five miles south of the mouth of the Umpqua River last week.

The people of Waldo Hills are anxious to know whether the narrow gauge railroad will pass through that region or not. They represent one of the finest wheat growing regions in Oregon.

The total income of the municipality of Corvallis during the last fiscal year was \$3,715; expenditures, \$5,014.43. The balance was applied on the outstanding debt of the city, reducing it to \$1,112.57.

The acreage of grain in northern Idaho is immense, and is looking fine. Brearly's flouring mill at Lewiston is running night and day, and the machinery for Mulkey's new mill is being placed in position.

Almota promises to be one of the most important shipping points on Snake River. There is an excellent road on the opposite side of the river to Pomeroy, running through a rich agricultural district. This, with the new ferry, will make Almota the natural depot for that section.

THE OREGON KIDNEY TEA.

Read the following testimonials, not from persons 3,000 miles away, whom no one knows, but from well-known and trustworthy citizens of Oregon, whose names, written with their own hands, can be seen at our office:

SILVERTON, Or., March 19, 1880.

I take pleasure in testifying to the remedial properties of the OREGON KIDNEY TEA. For the past two or three years I have been troubled with derangement of the kidneys, during which time I have tried various remedies without obtaining relief. I bought a package of the OREGON KIDNEY TEA from J. C. Hayes, and from the first dose began to feel better, and am happy to say that, after using the package, I am almost entirely cured.

SACRAMENTO, CALIF.

The writer of the following is a Baptist minister of many years standing, well known as a missionary to the Indians, and is now a teacher in the school recently established at Forest Grove for the education of Indian youth:

FOREST GROVE, Or., March 8, 1880.

I have labored with many years with weakness of the kidneys, and have tried many different remedies, sought aid from different physicians, and even changed climates to obtain relief, but have not with indifferent success. Hearing, through a friend, of the value of the OREGON KIDNEY TEA, I obtained a box of it, and have derived greater benefit from it than anything else I have yet found.

A friend explains how a young lady yields her heart to a rough-looking sailor. He says she is carried by a suit.

DIED:

At her residence on Columbia Street, near East Portland, on the 13th of May, 1880, Mrs. Christina Leitz.

Mrs. Leitz was born February 17th, 1817, came to Oregon in 1852, and was married to Mr. Leitz in 1838. She leaves a loving husband and five little children to mourn her loss. She died in the full triumph of Christian faith, and exhibiting all her friends to make sacrifices for Jesus. The funeral services by Rev. Mr. Dean's own able and impressive, and left upon the minds of the sorrowing friends the abiding prayer that they too might die the death of the righteous, that their last end might be like hers.

THEATRICAL.

Miss Ada Cavendish has sailed from New York for Europe.

Mrs. McLennan will take her departure for San Francisco to-morrow.

Mr. Chaplin's benefit at New Market last evening was poorly attended.

On Friday evening last, the Handel & Haydn Society gave Mendelssohn's "Elijah" at New Market.

Subscriptions have been sufficiently large to ensure the success of the Harriner-Campbell concert season.

The fourth matinee of the pupils of the Oregon Conservatory of Music, at Handel and Haydn Hall, yesterday afternoon, did not draw a large audience.

It was intimated in the NEW NORTHWEST some time since that John E. Owens would not come to Portland, and time has verified the prediction.

"Promises [by Maguire] are made to be broken." By the way, what has become of the \$500 that "Special John" advanced while at Walla Walla to secure Owens's appearance? Was it a ruse to "sink" that amount while he was in debt to his company?

To-morrow night, at New Market Theater, a grand concert will be given by Professor Hubner, leader of the Twenty-first Infantry Band, under the management of Mr. J. W. Cochran.

Mrs. D. F. Smith, Mrs. J. A. Crozan, Mrs. David Goodsell, Mr. W. M. Thompson and Mr. J. H. Bryner will appear. The steamer Vancouver has been chartered, and will carry passengers to and from Vancouver. The programme will be found in our advertising columns.

Not a word from William A. Wheeler yet. Nobody knows whether he has had a bite or not.

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PROGRAMME:

Part First.

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3. Vocal Solo, "Magnetic Water." Artill. Mrs. J. A. Crozan.

4. Violin Solo, "Magnetic Water." De Zerlet. Hubner.

5. Recitation, "Macbeth's Child." C. MacKay. Mrs. D. F. Smith.

6. Piano Solo, "Caprice a la Mazurka." Hubner.

Part Second.

1. Piano Solo, "Grand Fantasia Witches' Dance." Paganini. Hubner.

2. Vocal Solo, selected. Mrs. David Goodsell.

3. Violin Solo, "Carnival de Venice." Paganini. Hubner.

4. Vocal Solo, selected. Mrs. Crozan and Mrs. Goodsell.

5. Piano Solo, "Home, Sweet Home." Thalberg. Hubner.

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